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Sir:

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 CFR §1.55, applicants hereby claim the right of priority based on the following foreign application filed in Japan:

## **Application No. 11-107545, filed April 15, 1999**

A certified copy of this foreign application was filed on May 24, 2000 in prior, U. S. Application Serial No. 09/547,195, filed on April 11, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,

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